



PATENT  
CASE NO. 21020P

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of: GEORGE A. DOHERTY, ET AL.  
Serial No. 10/500,811  
Filed July 7, 2004  
Group Art Unit 1626  
Examiner R. L. Anderson  
For: N-BENZYL AMINOALKYLCARBOXYLATES, PHOSPHINATES,  
PHOSPHONATES AND TETRAZOLES AS EDG RECEPTOR  
AGONISTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Total Claims	* <u>12</u>	-	** <u>24</u> =	<u>0</u> X	\$50	= <u>0.00</u>
Independent Claims	* <u>3</u>	-	*** <u>3</u> =	<u>0</u> X	\$200	= <u>0.00</u>
Multiple Dependent Claims					\$360 ****	= <u>          </u>
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2007 setting forth a shortened statutory period for response ending September 6, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 31 of this paper.

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